

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **MAGNET RECOGNITION PROGRAM® - SITE VISIT**

#### **What is Magnet?**

ANCC Magnet Recognition Program® is the highest credential a healthcare organization can achieve. It acknowledges the invaluable contributions of nurses in all healthcare settings and among all populations worldwide.

#### **Why is Magnet important?**

Magnet designation indicates to patients and the public that these organizations have met the most stringent, evidence-based standards of nursing excellence in patient care delivery. It is a results-driven recognition that fosters nurse engagement, and the role nurses play as members of the interprofessional team to improve patient outcomes and reduce healthcare costs.

Abbott Northwestern Hospital was designated as a Magnet organization in 2009, 2014, and 2019 by the ANCC Magnet Recognition Program® and they are now applying for redesignation.

- Patients, family members, staff, and interested parties who would like to provide comments are encouraged to do so. Anyone may send comments via e-mail and direct mail.
- Your comments must be received by the Magnet Program Office by **September 27, 2024**.

**NOTE:** All comments are CONFIDENTIAL and are not shared with the health care organization. Comments may be anonymous, but they must be sent in writing to the Magnet Program Office.

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